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Website Advisory

21 CCLC Grant Notice of Intent

Hialeah, Florida –

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SUBJECT: Notice of Intent to submit an application for funding

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The City of Hialeah Education and Community Services Department has applied for the 21st Century Community Learning Center (CCLC) Program Grant. With approval from the Florida Department of Education in cooperation with the MDCPS, the City of Hialeah will establish out-of-school time programs at the Hialeah Educational Academy, Jose Marti Middle School and at the Hialeah Housing Authority Community Center located in the Seminola area.

The purpose of the federally-funded 21st CCLC Program is to establish Community Learning Centers that operate during out-of-school hours and provide students with academic enrichment opportunities with other activities designed to complement the students' school-day program. The program will also give the opportunity for students and their families to continue to learn new skills and discover new abilities after the school day has ended. The focus of this program is to provide expanded academic enrichment opportunities for children attending Title 1 eligible schools in the Hialeah area.

The City of Hialeah's Education and Community Services Department and the 21st Century Community Learning Centers have partnered to create the program called, the *Young Leaders with Character Program*.

The city's application for the 21st Century Learning Center Program Grant will be on file and available for public review at 7400 West 24th Avenue, 2nd Floor, Hialeah, FL 33016.